

3. Remarks

The Examiner has rejected pending claims 1-19. The applicant has amended claims 1, 2, 3, 6, 12, 15, 16, and 17. No claims have been added. Claims 4, 5, 11, 18 and 19 have been cancelled.

A. Claim Rejections—35 U.S.C. § 102

Claims 1-19 have been rejected as being anticipated by Jellum et al. Each of the independent claims in the present application have been amended. The applicant respectfully submits that the amendments made herein render the previous bases for rejection moot with respect to the still-pending claims. For this reason, the applicant asserts that all claims remaining in the application are allowable, and reconsideration and allowance is therefore requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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